

## **Hand Hygiene**

Things to know

## What are 3 spores you may come in contact with?

- Clostridium difficile. (c.diff)
- Candida albicans (fungal infection like a yeast infection)
- Bacillus anthracis.(Anthrax, a rod shaped gram-positive bacteria)

 The physical action of washing and rinsing hands is recommended because alcohols, chlorhexidine products, iodophors and other antiseptic agents have *poor activity against spores*.